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SUBJECT: REPORTED ZAIRIAN STATEMENT ON ANGOLA-ZAIRE
RELATIONS

REF: A) STATE 172815, B) TOWELL-MURPHY TELECON

1. BELGIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY ZAIRE DESK OFFICER (JAENEN)
TOLD US JULY 12 THAT HE FOUND SIGNIFICANCE FOR ANGOLA-
ZAIRE RELATIONS IN A STATEMENT REPORTEDLY MADE BY
MOBUTU'S ROVING AMBASSADOR LENGEMA IN PARIS JULY 9 OR 10.
JAENEN SAID THAT LENGEMA DECLARED THAT ZAIRE IS DISPOSED
TOWARDS NORMALIZING RELATIONS BETWEEN ZAIRE AND ANGOLA
AND UNDERSTANDS THAT ANGOLA IS TOO. LENGEMA OBSERVED
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THAT ZAIRE IS A COUNTRY WITH NINE NEIGHBORS, ALL OF
WHOM IT HAS GOOD RELATIONS WITH EXCEPT ANGOLA. JAENEN
SAID THAT LENGEMA ALSO NOTED THAT SEVERAL AFRICAN CHIEFS
OF STATE ARE WORKING ON RE-ESTABLISHING RELATIONS BETWEEN
ANGOLA AND ZAIRE.

2. WE UNDERSTAND (REF B) THAT AFRICAN AFFAIRS OFFICER

MURPHY IN PARIS IS SEEKING TO TRACK DOWN STATEMENT
REPORTEDLY MADE BY LENGEMA. DE TARR

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